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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket Number (Optional)
MWS-072

In re Application of John CIOLFI

Application Number
09/911,663-Conf. #3836

Filed

July 24, 2001

For HANDLING PARAMETERS IN BLOCK DIAGRAM MODELING

Art Unit 2173

Examiner C. T. Thai

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

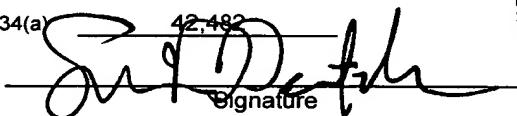
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| <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ |
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<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____ | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 12-0080 | |

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- I am the applicant/inventor.
 assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
 Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
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 attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).
 Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) _____

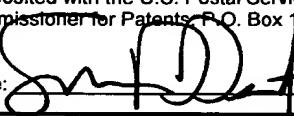
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NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below

Total of 1 forms are submitted.

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Dated: July 16, 2004

Signature:  (Sean D. Detweiler)